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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Examiner Choobin:

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed February 17, 2004. The Amendment and Response is being timely submitted within the three-month date of May 17, 2004. The Applicant respectfully requests that the following Amendments and Remarks be entered and considered.